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Soar with Tropical Audubon — *Rehabilitated Raptors Release slated to launch Miami's annual week of Giving!*

*MDC Mayor Daniella Levine Cava will join
Wildlife Rescue of Dade County on NOV 13
to inaugurate Give Miami Day 2023 festivities*

Monday, November 13, 11 a.m.

Tropical Audubon Society

5530 Sunset Drive

Miami FL 33143

MIAMI, Fla. — Miami-Dade County Mayor Daniella Levine Cava will help inaugurate Give Miami Day at Tropical Audubon Society's "Let's Soar Together" media event November 13, 11 a.m. on our Steinberg Nature Center grounds. Cava will be joined by Vicky Checo, Director of Community Engagement at The Miami Foundation, which hosts the nation's biggest 24-hour annual giving event. To highlight the impact of giving locally, Lloyd Brown, founder of Give Miami Day participant Wildlife Rescue of Dade County, will release 6 rehabilitated raptors including a dark morph Short-tailed Hawk, a Peregrine falcon and four Red-shouldered Hawks.

Tropical Audubon Society is also a proud Give Miami Day participant and a Wildlife Rescue community partner. The collaborative "Let's Soar Together" event was hatched in hopes of inspiring South Floridians to give generously to their favorite charities during Give Miami Day.

What is Give Miami Day?

Give Miami Day is one of the largest annual online giving events in the Southeast United States. It is a day when anyone can be a philanthropist by showing up for Miami and supporting their favorite local organizations serving the community. Give Miami Day, now in its 12th year, has raised more than \$100 million for more than 1,000 community organizations. Give Miami Day 2023 takes place on Thursday, November 16, beginning at 12 a.m. and ending at 11:59 p.m. Bonus: Early birds can visit the GiveMiamiDay.org portal for **Early Giving** from Monday, November 13 through Wednesday, November 15. >>

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Event Details:

What: “Let’s Soar Together” inaugural Give Miami Day 2023 Media Event

When: Monday, November 13, 2023, 11am

Where: Tropical Audubon Society, 5530 Sunset Drive, Miami FL 33143; limited onsite parking via the SW 55 Avenue auto gate.

About Tropical Audubon Society: Tropical Audubon Society is a science- and solutions-based nonprofit conservation organization driven by its grassroots community and principles of equity, diversity and inclusion. Mission: To conserve and restore South Florida ecosystems, focusing on birds, other wildlife and their habitats. Tropical Audubon Society facilitates its Mission via Conservation, Education & Recreation

About Wildlife Rescue of Dade County: Mission: Rescue, rehabilitate and release (back to the wild) the injured, orphaned and /or displaced wild animals native to South Florida. Wildlife Rescue of Dade County provides free educational programs to schools and community organizations. They train, equip and deploy – worldwide as necessary – personnel to assist local groups in animal rescue after disasters.

About: The Miami Foundation: The Miami Foundation builds the philanthropic, civic, and leadership backbone for Greater Miami. Since 1967, the Foundation has invested \$540 million to strengthen our community with partnerships and contributions from more than 1000 fundholders and 40,000 donors. The Miami Foundation, which currently manages over \$465 million in assets, mobilizes donors, nonprofits, leaders, and locals to set a bold vision for our community's future and to invest in a stronger, more equitable, more resilient Greater Miami.

